## **AMENDMENTS**

17. (Currently amended) A method of treating skin comprising applying to the area of skin to be treated a skin care composition comprising <u>an aqueous-based formulation of</u> a neutralized, solubilized anionic polyurethane, a second solubilized polymer selected from the group consisting of acrylate, polyacrylate, methacrylate and polymethacrylate polymers, and at least one-solvent, and from about 61-wt.% to about 76-wt% by weight of the composition of-water, wherein the skin care composition is selected from the group consisting of sunscreens, suntan compositions, after-sun compositions, hand moisturizers, body moisturizers, face creams, face lotions, skin tightening compositions, skin firming compositions, skin cleansing compositions, color cosmetics, and whitening compositions.

- 18. (Cancelled)
- 19. (Cancelled)
- 20. (Cancelled)
- 21. (Cancelled)
- 22. (Cancelled)
- 23. (Currenntly amended) The method of claim 17, wherein the amount of <u>neutralized</u>, <u>solubilized anionic</u> polyurethane and second <u>solubilized</u> polymer is at least about 0.1 wt% by weight of the composition.
- 24. (Currently amended) The method of claim 23, wherein the amount of <u>neutralized</u>, <u>solubilized anionic polyurethane</u> and second <u>solubilized polymer</u> is at least about 0.2 wt% by weight of the composition.

- 25. (Currently amended) The method of claim 23, wherein the amount of <u>neutralized</u>, <u>solubilized anionic</u> polyurethane and second <u>solubilized polymer</u> is at least about 0.5 wt% by weight of the composition.
- 26. (Currently amended) The method of claim 17, wherein the amount of <a href="meutralized">neutralized</a>, solubilized anionic polyurethane and second <a href="meutralized">solubilized</a> polymer is no more than about 15 wt% by weight of the composition.
- 27. (Currently amended) The method of claim 26, wherein the amount of <u>neutralized</u>, <u>solubilized anionic polyurethane and second <u>solubilized polymer</u> is no more than about 10 wt% by weight of the composition.</u>
- 28. (Currently amended) The method of claim 26, wherein the amount of <u>neutralized</u>, <u>solubilized anionic polyurethane</u> and second <u>solubilized polymer</u> is no more than about 5 wt% by weight of the composition.
- 29. (Cancelled)
- 30. (Cancelled)